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Sir:

Further to applicants filing of an Amendment and a Petition for Extension of Time (three months) in the above-identified application (a copy of which is attached hereto), Applicants hereby request a refund in the amount of \$1,020.00. Applicants Response was filed in a timely manner and no extensions were needed. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the difference, i.e., \$1,020.00, be refunded to counsel's Deposit Account No. 13-3402; two copies of this page are attached for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



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